



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Wei Ming Hu et al.

Serial No.: 09/223,660

Filed: December 30, 1998

For: METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR  
DIAGNOSTIC PRESERVATION OF  
THE STATE OF A COMPUTER  
SYSTEM

Group Art Unit: 2189

Examiner: Tim T. Vo

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Sir:

A Final Office Action was issued by the U. S. Patent and Trademark Office on October 1, 2002 in connection with the above-identified application. An Amendment and Response to this Final Office Action was timely filed on December 2, 2002.

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated October 1, 2002 of the Examiner rejecting claims 1-72.

The items checked below are appropriate.



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Large Entity Fee of \$320.00; or



Small Entity Fee of \$160.00.

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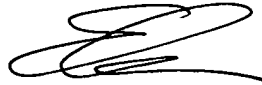
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